

### ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A test environment comprises a terminal coupled to a database system over a communications link. A software application under test is executable in the database system. In one example, a Telnet session is established between the terminal and the database system, with a bitmap representing an output of the software application communicated to the terminal. To perform a test procedure, the terminal extracts a value from a predefined region of the bitmap.

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